

## CURATORIAL OPPORTUNITY

### exhibition theme | **DEMOCRACY**

City Without Walls (cWOW) seeks a curator (or co-curators) for an upcoming group exhibition dealing with issues and ideas about democracy. The exhibition opens in September 2008, taking the pulse of democracy in America and around the world just prior to the Presidential election.

### details | **CURATORIAL PROCESS**

Curators are free to select any artists of their choosing, including their own artwork. They are not required to select cWOW members, and selected artists are not required to become members. However, curators must review all member entries, and are encouraged to ask artists whom they solicit to join. This process ensures the highest-quality independent selection, while also providing crucial support for our award-winning exhibition, education, and residency programs. The exhibition is open to all media and sizes of visual art, including 2-D, 3-D, new media, performance art, etc., addressing the stated theme. An open call for work is being posted simultaneously to this curatorial call. Artist submissions from the open call are due May 30. The curator's final selection of work and completion of a brief biography and catalog essay are due June 28. Show dates for the exhibit are September 13, 2008 – October 31, 2008. There will be a public reception, catalog, announcement cards, email blasts and other publicity for the show.

### entry materials | **BY EMAIL OR SNAIL MAIL**

Proposals must include (a) the curator's resume, (b) a brief statement and group exhibition concept with multiple artists, and (c) sample images. Prospective curators are encouraged but not required to join to be considered for this opportunity, with a minimum annual donation of \$35 for individual members or \$25 for students and seniors. Your donations are tax-deductible to the full extent of the law. See other member benefits and join online at [www.cwow.org](http://www.cwow.org). Email your complete submission to [info@cwow.org](mailto:info@cwow.org) with "**Democracy Curator**" in the subject line, or snail mail the same materials to **City Without Walls, 6 Crawford Street, Newark, NJ 07102**.

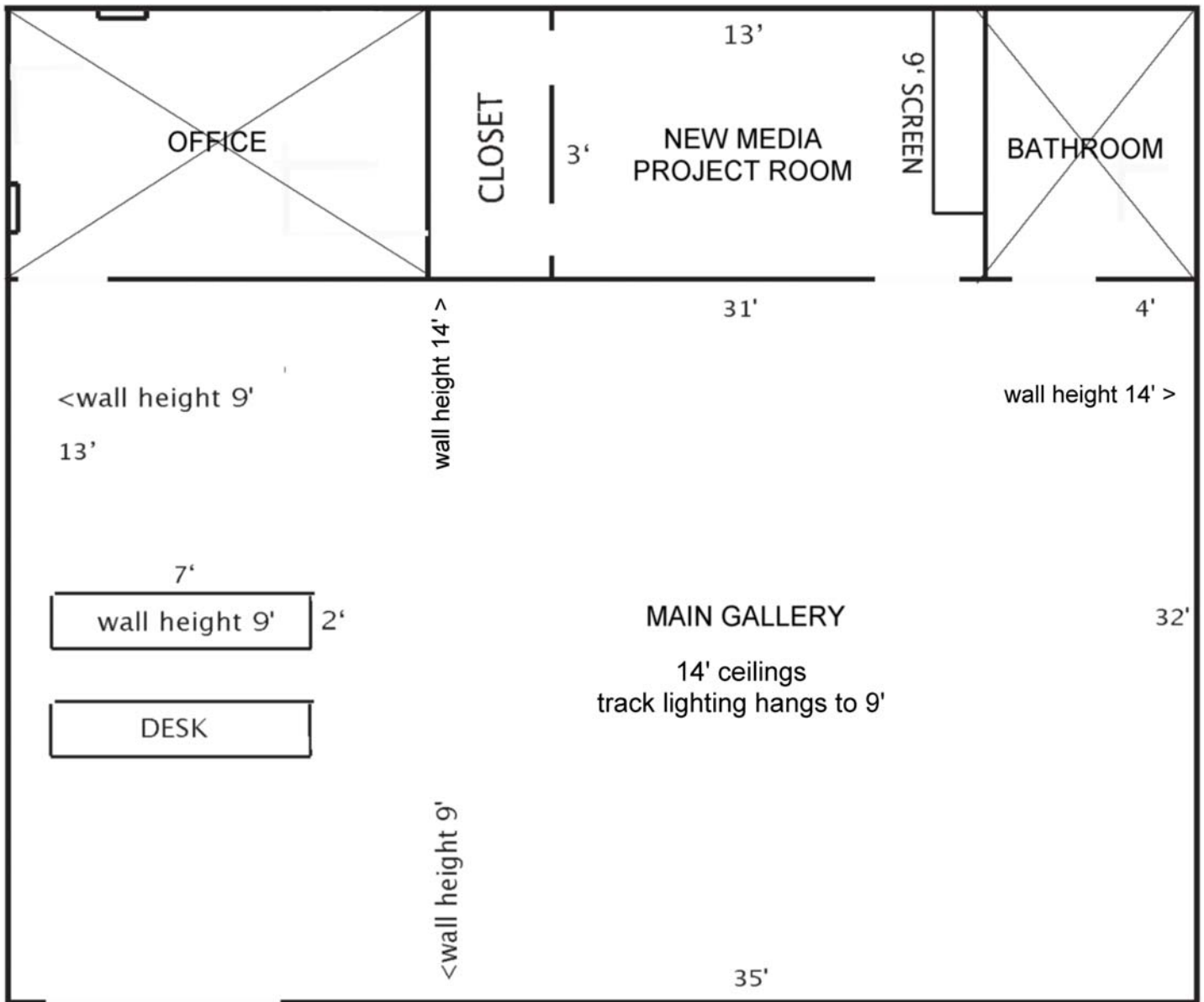
### deadline | **5PM • MAY 30, 2008**

Including receipt of completed application materials (online or by mail). This is NOT a postmark deadline.

### other | **GENERAL POLICIES & MISSION**

cWOW is a non-profit urban gallery for emerging art that advances the careers of artists while building the audience for contemporary art. cWOW's gallery in downtown Newark is a state-of-the-art facility with over 1,600 square feet of exhibition space, including a main gallery, a new-media project room, 9-foot screen, several flat-screen TVs, and other video projection equipment (see attached floor plan). cWOW is New Jersey's oldest not-for-profit alternative art space, founded in 1975, and a three-time recipient of the prestigious NJ State Council on the Arts "Citation of Excellence."

# Floor Plan



**cWOW**  
 city without walls  
 AN URBAN GALLERY for EMERGING ART  
 6 Crawford Street, Newark, NJ 07102-2412